one access service provider to another irrespective of mobile technology or from one cellular mobile technology to another of the same or any other access service provider, in a licensed service area. Necessary license Agreements for MNP Services have been signed in April, 2009. As per time line set by the Government, in the first phase, MNP is likely to be implemented by 31st December 2009 in Metro Cities and Category 'A' Service Areas (Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu including Chennai, Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka Service Areas) and in the rest of the country thereafter by March, 2010. however, there could be some delay in implementation due to time taken in upgradation and customization of existing networks by Access Service Providers.

(c) and (d) It is expected that the Introduction of MNP will help in increasing competition between the service providers and will act as a catalyst to improve the quality of service, because with the introduction of MNP, a customer will have the choice to move to other service provider without changing his/her number if he/she is not satisfied with the services or tariff of his/her existing service provider.

Construction of S.P.O. building

3110. SHRI KANJIBHAI PATEL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether State Government of Gujarat has allotted land for construction of S.P.O. building at village Dungi in Valsad district of Gujarat;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) by when the land was allotted with the details thereof; and

(d) the reasons for delay in construction of the said building?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT): (a) to (d) No, Sir. No village by the name 'Dungi' exists in Valsad District of Gujarat, hence question of allotment of land by State Government does not arise. However, there is a village by name DUNGRI in Valsad District where a plot of land measuring 1402 sq. mts. was purchased from Gram Panchayat for construction of Post Office on 5.2.1983. Dungri Post Office is a small Post Office with staff strength of only one Sub Postmaster, two Postal Assistants, one Postman and one Gramin Dak Sevak. Due to limited Plan funds for construction of new buildings, the Department gives priority to construction of bigger operative offices usually with a staff strength of 15 or above with very high rental liability. Since Dungri Post Office is a small Post Office, construction of its building can not be taken up at present.

Revenue from monuments in Rajasthan

3111. DR. GYAN PRAKASH PILANIA:
SHRI LALIT KISHORE CHATURVEDI:
Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of those protected monuments in Rajasthan where ticket is being levied;

(b) the revenue earned through the sale of tickets each year during the last five years and till date; and

(c) the total amount spent on renovation and maintenance of these monuments during the said period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): (a) The entrance fee is levied at the following centrally protected monuments in Rajasthan:

(1) Chittaurgarh Fort, Distt. Chittaurgarh;

(2) Deeg Palace, Deeg, Distt. Bharatpur; and

(3) Kumbhalgarh Fort, Distt. Rajsamand.

(b) and (c) The revenue earned from entrance fee and the expenditure incurred on renovation and maintenance on these monuments during the last 5 years and during the current year are as under:

(Rupees in lakhs)

Year	Revenue Earned	Expenditure Incurred
2004-05	48.40	59.60
2005-06	48.12	49.80
2006-07	52.04	70.50
2007-08	57.83	101.69
2008-09	58.96	66.90
2009-10 (upto Nov. 2009)	37.73	19.36

Tulsi museum at Ramvan

†3112. MISS ANUSUIYA UIKEY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the sanction for the proposal amount of Rupees 44.17 lac was given in the year 2004-05 for setting up Tulsi Museum at Ramvan in district Satna in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the amount released so far for this work;

(c) whether the utilization certificate in respect of this amount has been received by Government and if so the time of its receipt; and

(d) the reasons for delay in the release of funds and the time by when the remaining amount would be released?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): (a) to (d) Ramvan Museum at Satna, Madhya Pradesh had applied for financial assistance of Rs.44.17 lakhs during 2004-05 for the expansion of their existing Museum under the Scheme for "Promotion & Strengthening of Regional and Local Museums". On the recommendations of the Expert Committee, an amount of Rs.10.00 lakhs was sanctioned and an amount of Rs.7.50 lakhs was released to the Museum as first instalment. Since the utilization certificate furnished by the museum was not in the accordance with the laid down procedure, they were requested to furnish a revised utilisation certificate in August 2007. The Museum has not furnished the revised utilisation certificate yet.

No definite time frame can be indicated for the release of the balance amount at this stage.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.